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5.0 ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS

5.19 Containment Leakage Rate Testing Program (Continued)

The maximum allowable primary containment leakage rate, L_a , at P_a , shall be 0.1% of containment air weight per day.

Leakage Rate acceptance criteria are:

- a. Containment leakage rate acceptance criterion is $\leq 1.0 L_a$. During unit startup following testing in accordance with this program, the leakage rate acceptance criteria are $\leq 0.60 L_a$ Maximum Pathway Leakage Rate (MXPLR) for Type B and C tests and $\leq 0.75 L_a$ for Type A tests.
- b. Personnel Air Lock testing acceptance criteria are:
 - (1) Overall Personnel Air Lock leakage is $\leq 0.1 L_a$ when tested at $\geq P_a$.
 - (2) For each PAL door, seal leakage rate is $\leq 0.01 L_a$ when pressurized to ≥ 5.0 psig.
- c. Containment Purge Valve (PCV-742A/B/C/D) testing acceptance criterion is:

For each Containment Purge Valve, leakage rate is < 18.000 SCCM when tested at $\geq P_a$.
- d. If at any time when containment integrity is required and the total Type B and C measured leakage rate exceeds $0.60 L_a$ Minimum Pathway Leakage Rate (MNLPR), repairs shall be initiated immediately. If repairs and retesting fail to demonstrate conformance to this acceptance criteria within 48 hours, then containment shall be declared inoperable.

The provisions of Specification 3.0.1 do not apply to the test frequencies specified in the Containment Leakage Rate Testing Program.

The provisions of Specifications 3.0.4 and 3.0.5 are applicable to the Containment Leakage Rate Testing Program.

5.20 Technical Specifications (TS) Bases Control Program

This program provides a means for processing changes to the Bases of these Technical Specifications.

- a. Changes to the Bases of the TS shall be made under appropriate administrative controls and reviews.
- b. Licensees may make changes to Bases without prior NRC approval provided the changes do not require either of the following: